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Syllabus for
Program: BSc

Program Code: RUSBCH

Credit Based Semester and Grading
System for the academic year 2024-25

GRADUATE ATTRIBUTES

| GA | GA Description |
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| | A student completing Bachelor's Degree in SCIENCE program will be able to: |
| GA 1 | Recall and explain acquired scientific knowledge in a comprehensive manner and apply the skills acquired in their chosen discipline. Interpret scientific ideas and relate its interconnectedness to various fields in science. |
| GA 2 | Evaluate scientific ideas critically, analyse problems, explore options for practical demonstrations, illustrate work plans and execute them, organise data and draw inferences. |
| GA 3 | Explore and evaluate digital information and use it for knowledge upgradation. Apply relevant information so gathered for analysis and communication using appropriate digital tools. |
| GA 4 | Ask relevant questions, understand scientific relevance, hypothesize a scientific problem, construct and execute a project plan and analyse results. |
| GA 5 | Take complex challenges, work responsibly and independently, as well as in cohesion with a team for completion of a task. Communicate effectively, convincingly and in an articulate manner. |
| GA 6 | Apply scientific information with sensitivity to values of different cultural groups. Disseminate scientific knowledge effectively for upliftment of the society. |
| GA 7 | Follow ethical practices at workplace and be unbiased and critical in interpretation of scientific data. Understand the environmental issues and explore sustainable solutions for it. |
| GA 8 | Keep abreast with current scientific developments in the specific discipline and adapt to technological advancements for better application of scientific knowledge as a lifelong learner |

PROGRAM OUTCOMES

| PO | Description |
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| | A student completing Bachelor's Degree in SCIENCE program in the subject of BIOCHEMISTRY will be able to: |
| PO 1 | Achieve better understanding of the major thrust areas of the disciplines like Chemistry of Biomolecules & their metabolism, Cell biology (Basics, Membrane biochemistry, Cancer), Enzymology, Genetics, Plant Biochemistry, Pharmacology, Microbiology & Immunology. |
| PO 2 | Gain acumen of the fundamental biochemical processes occurring at the molecular and gene level. |
| PO 3 | Understand the role of Biochemistry in food, human nutrition and environmental science. |
| PO 4 | Get insights into multiple important analytical tools for Biochemical testing and apply contextual knowledge and tools of biochemical research for problems solving. |
| PO 5 | Acquire and empower technical knowledge by connecting disciplinary and interdisciplinary aspects of biochemistry. |
| PO 6 | Compile and interpret Biological data using Biostatistics and Bioinformatics tools. |
| PO 7 | Express ideas persuasively through scientific writing and oral presentation which will help in the development of the leadership qualities. |
| PO 8 | Possess scientific temperament by research project-based learning. |
| PO 9 | Procure hands-on real time experience in industries. |
| PO 10 | Get exposure to the strong theoretical and practical understanding of various dimensions of Biochemistry and take up research-oriented courses in the fields of Biochemistry, Nutrition & Dietetics, Molecular Biology, etc. |

PROGRAM OUTLINE

| YEAR | SEM | CORE COURSE | COURSE TITLE | CREDITS |
|-------|------------|-------------------------------|---|---------|
| TYBSc | V | RUSBCH501 | Membrane Biochemistry & Cancer Biology | 2.5 |
| | | RUSBCH502 | Introduction to Pharmacology & Basics of Immunology | 2.5 |
| | | RUSBCH503 | Molecular Biology | 2.5 |
| | | RUSBCH504 | Biostatistics & Bioinformatics | 2.5 |
| | | RUSBCHP501 | Practicals based on RUSBCH501 | 1.5 |
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| | VI | RUSBCH601 | Human Physiology | 2.5 |
| | | RUSBCH602 | Food Biochemistry & Environmental Science | 2.5 |
| | | RUSBCH603 | Clinical Biochemistry | 2.5 |
| | | RUSBCH604 | Nutritional Biochemistry | 2.5 |
| | | RUSBCHP601 | Project Work / Certificate Courses | 1.5 |
| | | RUSBCHP602 | Practicals based on RUSBCH602 | 1.5 |
| | RUSBCHP603 | Practicals based on RUSBCH603 | 1.5 | |
| | RUSBCHP604 | Practicals based on RUSBCH604 | 1.5 | |

Course Code: RUSBCH501

Course Title: Membrane Biochemistry & Cancer Biology

Academic year 2024-25

COURSE OUTCOMES:

| COURSE OUTCOME | DESCRIPTION A student completing this course will be able to: |
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| CO 1 | Outline the importance of carbohydrates, lipids, and proteins as a structural component of biomembranes. |
| CO 2 | Summarize the composition and structure of biomembranes, transport mechanisms across biological membranes. |
| CO 3 | Illustrate the mechanism of oxidative phosphorylation, photophosphorylation and basic concept of Bioenergetics |
| CO 4 | Recall the concept and mechanism of ATP synthesis. |
| CO 5 | Classify different types of transporters. |
| CO 6 | Explain the factors that contribute to cancer development, discuss cancer prevention and currently available therapeutic treatments. |
| CO 7 | Develop an understanding on various genetic and molecular changes which takes place during transformation into malignant cells. |
| CO 8 | Make use of theoretical concepts of Membrane Biochemistry & Cancer Biology and develop experimental acumen. |

DETAILED SYLLABUS

| Course Code/ Unit | Unit | Course/ Unit Title Membrane Biochemistry & Cancer Biology RUSBCH501 | Credits/ Lectures 2.5 Credits |
|----------------------|----------|--|-------------------------------------|
| I | 1 | Biomembranes & Cell Surface | 15L |
| | 1.1 | Overview of membrane functions | 2L |
| | 1.2 | Fluid mosaic model | 3L |
| | 1.3 | Chemical Composition of Membranes | |
| | 1.3.1 | Membrane lipids (Phospholipids, Glycolipids, sterols (Cholesterol), Lipid rafts | 8L |
| | 1.3.2 | Membrane proteins - Classification- Peripheral Proteins, Integral Membrane Proteins and Lipid-Anchored proteins Peripheral Proteins- Spectrin on RBC Integral Membrane Proteins- Glycophorin A on RBC Lipid-Anchored proteins- Role of GPI anchored protein in blood grouping | |
| | 1.3.3 | Membrane carbohydrate – Role of membrane glycoproteins | 2L |
| II | 2 | Membrane Transport and Vesicular Transport | 15L |
| | 2.1 | Introduction to the transport mechanism across cell membrane | 4L |
| | 2.2 | Passive transport – Passive diffusion (Polar & Non polar), diffusion and osmosis, facilitated diffusion of ions and molecules | 4L |
| | 2.3 | Ion channels- Ligand gated, mechanical gated, Voltage gated | |
| | 2.4.1 | Primary Active transport ATPases pump- Na ⁺ -K ⁺ Pump, ABC transporter | 2L |
| | 2.4.2 | Secondary active transports Symport (Mechanism of Absorption of peptides by eneterocytes) | 2L |
| | 2.5 | Specialized ion channels- Aquaporins | 3L |
| | 2.6 | Antiport -Absorption of peptides by eneterocytes, | |
| III | 3 | Bioenergetics & Oxidative Phosphorylation | 15L |
| | 3.1.1 | Principle of Bioenergetics | 2L |
| | 3.1.2 | Importance of thermodynamics, concept of Gibb's free energy, enthalpy, entropy, Standard free energy change and equilibrium constant | 3L |
| | 3.2 | Oxidative phosphorylation Electron transfer reactions in mitochondrion (Complexes I to IV; Q cycle in Complex III) | 4L |
| | 3.3 | Structure of ATP synthase and ATP synthesis Models for ATP synthesis - chemiosmotic model & Rotational Catalysis | 4L |

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| | 3.4 | Inhibitors & Uncouplers of ETC and ATP synthesis | 2L |
| IV | 4 | Cancer Biology & Apoptosis | 15L |
| | 4.1.1 | Introduction to the biology of cancer | 2L |
| | 4.1.2 | Difference between tumor and Cancer | |
| | 4.2.1 | Classification of tumor | 2L |
| | 4.2.2 | Properties of cancer cells | |
| | 4.3 | Cell cycle regulators and cancer | 1L |
| | 4.4.1 | Oncogene- Ras protein | 2L |
| | 4.4.2 | Tumor suppressor gene- Role of P53, Comparison between functional & Non-Functional p53 | |
| | 4.5 | Assays – Trypan blue exclusion method, MTT assay, Soft Agar Colony Formation Assay | 2L |
| | 4.6 | Cancer therapy - | 2L |
| | 4.6.1 | Chemotherapy (purine & pyrimidine analog) | |
| | 4.6.2 | Demethylating agents | |
| | 4.7 | Apoptosis – | 2L |
| | 4.7.1 | Properties of apoptotic cells | |
| | 4.7.2 | Difference between apoptosis and Necrosis | |
| 4.7.3 | Role of caspases in apoptosis | | |
| 4.7.4 | Mechanism (Intrinsic & Extrinsic pathway) | 2L | |
| | | Practicals – RUSBCHP501 | 1.5 Credits |
| | 1 | Osmosis across semi-permeable membrane | |
| | 2 | Effect of temperature and molecular weight on diffusion | |
| | 3 | Visualization of cells by Trypan blue | |
| | 4 | Study of viability of cells using Neutral Red Assay | |
| | 5 | Mitochondrial respiration and effect of different Inhibitors for ETC (Dry lab) | |
| | 6 | In-vitro study of RBC membrane stabilization | |
| | 7 | Sums based on Bioenergetics | |
| | 8 | Internship / Workshop / Hands-on training (1 – 4 weeks) | |

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9. Lehninger's - Principles of Biochemistry by David L. Nelson
10. Introductory Practical Biochemistry by Sawhney
11. Practical Biochemistry by David Plummer

12. Biochemical methods by S Sadashivam & A Minackam, New Age International publisher.
13. Principles of Genetics by D. Peter Snustad, Michael J. Simmons
14. Concepts of Genetics by William S. Klug, Michael R. Cummings, Charlotte A. Spencer, Michael A. Palladino, Darrell Killian
15. Molecular Biology of Cancer Mechanisms, Targets, and Therapeutics by Lauren Pecorino

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Course Code: RUSBCH502

Course Title: Introduction to Pharmacology & Basics of Immunology

Academic year 2024-25

COURSE OUTCOMES:

| COURSE OUTCOME | DESCRIPTION A student completing this course will be able to: |
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| CO 1 | Outline the basics of pharmacology like scope & general principles |
| CO 2 | Summarize the process of Drug Receptor Interaction |
| CO 3 | Explain the basic concepts of Pharmacokinetics with Drug absorption, Distribution, Metabolism and Excretion |
| CO 4 | Design bioassays to meet regulatory requirements |
| CO 5 | Develop an understanding of the characteristics and the nature of antigen – antibody reactions |
| CO 6 | Justify the role of immune cells and their mechanism in body defence system |
| CO 7 | Illustrate various mechanisms that regulate immunological response and how it's triggered and regulated |
| CO 8 | Recall different tools & techniques used in diagnosis like Radioimmunoassay, ELISA, Immunofluorescence, Western Blotting, etc. |
| CO 9 | Make use of theoretical concepts of immunology and pharmacology and develop experimental acumen. |

DETAILED SYLLABUS

| Course Code/ Unit | Unit | Course/ Unit Title | Credits/ Lectures |
|----------------------|---|---|----------------------|
| | | Introduction to Pharmacology & Basics of Immunology RUSBCH502 | 2.5 Credits |
| I | 1 | Introduction to Pharmacology & Pharmacodynamics | 15L |
| | 1.1 | Introduction to pharmacology | 1L |
| | 1.2 | Drugs - Sources, Classification and Nomenclature | 3L |
| | 1.3 | Pharmacodynamics and Basis of Drug Action | |
| | 1.4.1 | Drug Receptor Interaction – Receptor Theory of Drug Action, Location of Drug Receptor-G-Coupled Protein receptors | 4L |
| | 1.4.2 | Drug Acting on enzymes | 2L |
| | 1.4.3 | Non receptor mechanism of drug action | |
| | 1.4.4 | Placebo effect | |
| | 1.5.1 | Affinity and Intrinsic Activity | 3L |
| | 1.5.2 | Intensity of Drug Response – Potency and Efficacy | |
| | 1.6 | Combined Effects of Drug – Synergism, Antagonism | 2L |
| II | 2 | Pharmacokinetics & Bioassay | 15L |
| | 2.1 | Physicochemical properties of drugs | 1L |
| | 2.2 | Routes of drug administration | 3L |
| | 2.3.1 | Drug absorption: through-GIT, pulmonary, renal, placental and blood-brain barrier | 3L |
| | 2.3.2 | Bioavailability and Bioequivalence | 1L |
| | 2.4 | Drug Distribution | |
| | 2.5 | Drug Metabolism and Excretion | 2L |
| | 2.6 | Factors affecting drug dosage and drug delivery | 2L |
| | 2.7 | Bioassay – Preclinical & clinical studies | 3L |
| III | 3 | Introduction to Immunology | 15L |
| | 3.1.1 | Innate immunity – Anatomical barriers, physiological barriers, phagocytic/endocytic barriers, Inflammatory barriers | 4L |
| | 3.1.2 | Adaptive immunity – Active & Passive | |
| | 3.2 | Cells of the immune system: Lymphocytes – B cells and T cells, Natural killer cells – Mononuclear phagocytes, Granulocytes, Antigen presenting cells | 4L |
| | 3.3 | Organs of the immune system | 4L |
| | 3.3.1 | Primary lymphoid organs: Thymus, Bone marrow | |
| | 3.3.2 | Secondary lymphoid organs: Lymphatic system, Lymph nodes, Spleen, MALT | |
| 3.4 | Immune responses - Humoral & Cell mediated response | 3L | |

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| IV | 4 | Antigens and antibodies | 15L |
| | 4.1 | Antigens: Antigenicity, immunogenicity, epitope, factors determining immunogenicity, Haptens, adjuvants | 3L |
| | 4.2 | Antibodies | 5L |
| | 4.2.1 | Tiselius & Kabat Experiment, Porter & Edelman Experiment | |
| | 4.2.2 | Fine structure of immunoglobulin | |
| | 4.2.3 | Antibody classes and biological activities | |
| | 4.2.4 | Antigenic determinants on immunoglobulins, B-cell receptor | 2L |
| | 4.3 | Antigen- Antibody interactions: Forces involved, antibody affinity, antibody avidity, Cross reactivity | |
| | 4.3.1 | Precipitation reactions – Oudins, Ouchterlony | |
| | 4.3.2 | Agglutination reactions: Blood typing, bacterial agglutination, passive agglutination, agglutination inhibition, Coomb's test | 3L |
| 4.3.3 | Immunoelectrophoresis : Principles of Radioimmunoassay, ELISA, Immunofluorescence, Western Blotting | 1.5 Credits | |
| Practicals – RUSBCHP502 | | | |
| 1 | Monograph of a pharmaceutical drug | | |
| 2 | Problems based on drug dosage | | |
| 3 | Preparation of blood smear and Differential leucocyte count | | |
| 4 | Immunoprecipitation of antigen and antibody | | |
| 5 | Ouchterlony double immunodiffusion (DID) | | |
| 6 | Assays based on agglutination reactions – Blood typing | | |
| 7 | Demonstration of Enzyme linked immunosorbent assay (ELISA) | | |
| 8 | WIDAL test – Qualitative & Quantitative | | |

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- Laboratory Manual in Biochemistry - J. Jayaraman - New Age International
- An Introduction to Practical Biochemistry - Plummer David

Course Code: RUSBCH503

Course Title: Molecular Biology

Academic year 2024-25

COURSE OUTCOMES:

| COURSE OUTCOME | DESCRIPTION A student completing this course will be able to: |
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| CO 1 | Define the molecular events of DNA Replication, transcription, and translation process |
| CO 2 | Enlist different types of repair mechanisms and explain their mechanisms |
| CO 3 | Outline the principle of gene organization and the roles of promoters, coding, and termination sequences |
| CO 4 | Compare and state differences in the transcription process occurring in prokaryotes and eukaryotes |
| CO 5 | Discuss how gene expression is regulated at the post-transcriptional level |
| CO 6 | Analyse the tools and techniques for construction of recombinant DNA, cloning vectors & genomic and cDNA library |
| CO 7 | Recall the applications of RDT in various field |
| CO 8 | Make use of theoretical concepts of molecular biology and develop experimental acumen. |

DETAILED SYLLABUS

| Course Code/ Unit | Unit | Course/ Unit Title Molecular Biology RUSBCH503 | Credits/ Lectures 2.5 Credits |
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| I | 1 | DNA Replication & Repair | 15L |
| | 1.1.1 | Replication of DNA (in prokaryotes) | 4L |
| | 1.1.2 | Modes of DNA replication: Theta & rolling circle | |
| | 1.2 | Enzymes (pol I, II and III) and accessory proteins | 3L |
| | 1.3 | Mechanism of semi-conservative replication (Initiation, elongation & termination) | 3L |
| | 1.4 | DNA repair Mechanisms | 5L |
| | 1.4.1 | Direct repair (Photoreactivation, O ⁶ methyl guanine DNA methyl transferase) | |
| | 1.4.2 | Excision repairs - base & nucleotide excision, Mismatch repair (Hemimethylation of DNA) | |
| II | 2 | Transcription & Post-transcriptional Modifications | 15L |
| | 2.1 | Introduction to Transcription | 1L |
| | 2.2 | Types of RNA & its function | 2L |
| | 2.3 | Assembly for transcription-Template strand, RNA polymerase Holoenzyme, Transcriptional unit, Promoter | |
| | 2.4 | Mechanism of RNA transcription in prokaryotes: Initiation, elongation and termination (type I & II) | 3L |
| | 2.5 | Significance of Sigma factor, Concept of Abortive initiation | 1L |
| | 2.6 | Comparative overview of transcription in prokaryotes & eukaryotes | 2L |
| | 2.7 | Inhibitors of transcription -Rifampicin, Actinomycin D | |
| | 2.8.1 | mRNA (Mechanism of formation of 5'-cap and poly A tail), | 1L |
| | 2.8.2 | Post-transcriptional modifications: Concept of introns, exons, split genes and mechanism of mRNA splicing | 2L |
| | 2.8.3 | Overview of processing of tRNA, rRNA (arrangement of prokaryotic rDNA) | 1L |
| 2.9 | Reverse transcription (Mechanism, significance & application) | 2L | |
| III | 3 | Translation & Post-translational Modifications | 15L |
| | 3.1 | Introduction to Translation (protein biosynthesis) in prokaryotes | 1L |
| | 3.2 | Characteristics of Genetic code, tRNA synthetase | 2L |
| | 3.3 | Mechanism of translation: Activation of amino acids, chain initiation, elongation & termination | 4L |
| | 3.4 | Inhibitors of prokaryotic translation (Puromycin, Streptomycin, Tetracycline, Chloramphenicol, Erythromycin) | 2L |

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| | 3.5 | Post translational modifications of proteins (proteolytic cleavage, acylation, phosphorylation, methylation, glycosylation) | 2L |
| | 3.6 | Signal hypothesis | 2L |
| | 3.7 | Concept of Protein sorting in cell organelles | 2L |
| IV | 4 | Introduction to RDT & techniques of RDT | 15L |
| | 4.1 | Introduction of RDT | 3L |
| | 4.2 | Tools for RDT | |
| | 4.2.1 | Enzymes- Restriction endonucleases, ligases, terminal transferases, reverse transcriptase | |
| | 4.2.2 | Cloning and Expression Vectors- Plasmid, pBR 322, PUC-19 Bacteriophage – Lambda phage Cosmid; Artificial Chromosomes (BAC and YAC) Shuttle vectors | 3L |
| | 4.2.3 | Probes- DNA probes | 2L |
| | 4.3 | Applications of RDT- Agriculture (Bt Cotton); Medicine (Insulin); GM food | |
| | 4.4 | Isolation of gene: Gene library and c-DNA library; Southern blot; Northern blot | 2L |
| | 4.5 | Gene Transfer: Transfection, Electroporation, Microinjection, Liposome, Microprojectile (in brief) | 3L |
| | 4.6 | Selection and screening- Antibiotic and colony hybridization | 2L |
| | 4.7 | DNA Amplification by PCR | |
| | | Practicals – RUSBCHP503 | 1.5 Credits |
| | 1 | Extraction of total nucleic acids from plant tissue | |
| | 2 | Estimation of UV absorption of nucleic acids & proteins | |
| | 3 | Study of viscosity of DNA solution | |
| | 4 | Estimation of DNA by the Diphenylamine method | |
| | 5 | Isolation of chromosomal DNA from <i>E coli</i> cells | |
| | 6 | Isolation of RNA from Yeast/ Liver | |
| | 7 | Estimation of RNA by Orcinol Method | |

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7. Gene Biotechnology by Jogdand
8. Biochemical methods by S Sadashivam & A Minackam, New Age International publisher.

Course Code: RUSBCH504**Course Title: Biostatistics & Bioinformatics****Academic year 2024-25****COURSE OUTCOMES:**

| COURSE OUTCOME | DESCRIPTION A student completing this course will be able to: |
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| CO 1 | Define the fundamental concepts in the design and analysis of medicinal studies, including difference between observational and experimental studies, the outcome measure of study, comparability of the control group or control population. |
| CO 2 | Summarize the data relating to variables which can be examined and descriptive statistics can be calculated from the obtained data |
| CO 3 | Translate the knowledge gained on types of data and tools of data collection in compiling and performing statistical analysis. |
| CO 4 | Recall various biological databases that provide information about nucleic acid and proteins. |
| CO 5 | Outline the data from key bioinformatics databases and resources. |
| CO 6 | Explain the use of computational skills in the field of Biology |
| CO 7 | Classify databases and explain the same. |
| CO 8 | Make use of theoretical concepts of Biostatistics & Bioinformatics and develop experimental acumen. |

DETAILED SYLLABUS

| Course Code/ Unit | Unit | Course/ Unit Title Biostatistics & Bioinformatics RUSBCH504 | Credits/ Lectures 2.5 Credits |
|----------------------|--|---|-------------------------------------|
| I | 1 | Biostatistics & descriptive statistics | 15L |
| | 1.1 | Introduction to Biostatistics | 3L |
| | 1.2 | Descriptive statistics: | 6L |
| | 1.2.1 | Measures of central tendency - Mean, Median and mode | |
| | 1.2.2 | Measures of dispersion- Range, percentiles, variance, SD, Mean deviation, Coefficient of variation | 6L |
| II | 2 | Test of Hypothesis I | 15L |
| | 2.1.1 | Normal distribution and normal curve | 5L |
| | 2.1.2 | Asymmetric distribution | |
| | 2.1.3 | Normal variate & its significance | |
| | 2.1.4 | Statistical problems based on the above concepts | |
| | 2.2 | Introduction to Hypothesis | 5L |
| | 2.2.1 | Concept of Level of Significance, Degrees of freedom, One-tailed and two tailed tests, Type I and Type II errors | |
| | 2.2.2 | Hypothesis testing of mean - Z-test, t-test (grouped and ungrouped data) | 5L |
| 2.2.3 | Statistical problems based on the above concepts | | |
| III | 3 | Test of Hypothesis II | 15L |
| | 3.1.1 | Introduction to Hypothesis testing of difference between population means | 5L |
| | 3.1.2 | Z-test, t-test (Paired and unpaired) | |
| | 3.1.3 | Statistical problems based on the above concepts | |
| | 3.2 | Tests based on Chi-square distribution | 4L |
| | 3.2.1 | Test of population variance | |
| | 3.2.2 | Test of goodness of fit | 3L |
| | 3.2.3 | Test of association - 2 x 2 Table | 3L |
| | 3.2.4 | Statistical problems based on the above concepts | |
| IV | 4 | Bioinformatics | 15L |
| | 4.1 | Introduction to Bioinformatics | 1L |
| | 4.2 | Sequence & Nomenclature | 2L |
| | 4.2.1 | IUPAC Symbol | |
| | 4.2.2 | Nomenclature of DNA Sequences | |
| | 4.2.3 | Nomenclature of Protein Sequences | |
| | 4.2.4 | Directionality of sequences | |
| | 4.3 | Types of sequences used in bioinformatics- Genomic DNA, cDNA, Organelle DNA, EST's, Gene sequencing tag, STS & Biomolecules | 2L |
| | 4.4 | Information sources in Bioinformatics Genome database, Mouse genome database, Genbank | 1L |

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| | 4.5 | Information retrieval from biological databases- Entrez, Taxonomy browser, Locus link & Sequence Retrieval Systems (SRS) | 3L |
| | 4.6 | Similarity based database searching tools- BLAST & FASTA | 3L |
| | 4.7 | Resources for gene level sequence- Uni-gene database, Homo-gene database & Refseq database | 2L |
| | 4.8 | Applications of informatics tools in Analysis- Genomics and Proteomics | 1L |
| | | Practicals – RUSBCHP504 | 1.5 Credits |
| | 1 | Descriptive statistics using Microsoft excel | |
| | 2 | Hypothesis testing (one sample) – z-test, t-test | |
| | 3 | Hypothesis testing – Two sample z-test, unpaired t-test | |
| | 4 | Sequence retrieval (protein and gene) from NCBI and Uniprot | |
| | 5 | BLAST suite of tools for pairwise alignment | |
| | 6 | Molecular Visualization Softwares: Rasmol for protein structures from PDB | |
| | 7 | Multiple sequence alignment (CLUSTALW / Tcoffee) and construction of phylogenetic trees | |

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9. Bioinformatics – Principles and Applications (2008), 1st ed. Ghosh, Z. and Mallick, B., Oxford University Press (India)
10. A Textbook of Biotechnology – R.C. Dubey by S Chand Publication

Modality of Assessment (SEMESTER V)

Theory Examination Pattern:

A) Internal Assessment- 40%- 40 Marks

| Sr No | Evaluation type | Marks |
|-------|---|-----------|
| 1 | Class test | 20 |
| 2 | Class test/ Project/ Assignment/ Presentation | 20 |
| | TOTAL | 40 |

B) External Examination- 60%- 60 Marks

Semester End Theory Examination:

1. Duration - These examinations shall be of **02 HOURS** duration.
2. Theory question paper pattern:

Paper Pattern:

| Question | Options | Marks | Questions Based on |
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| Q1. | Any 3 out of 5 | 15 | UNIT I |
| Q2. | Any 3 out of 5 | 15 | UNIT II |
| Q3. | Any 3 out of 5 | 15 | UNIT III |
| Q4. | Any 3 out of 5 | 15 | UNIT IV |
| | TOTAL | 60 | |

Practical Examination Pattern:

A) Internal Examination: 40%- 40 Marks

| Particulars | Practical I, II, III & IV |
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| Journal | 05 |
| Experimental tasks | 15 |
| Total | 20 |

B) External Examination: 60%- 60 Marks

Semester End Practical Examination:

| Particulars | Practical I |
|--------------------------------|-------------|
| Report (Internal) | 10 |
| Presentation & Viva (External) | 10 |
| Laboratory work | 10 |
| Total | 30 |

| Particulars | Practical II, III & IV |
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| Laboratory work | 25 |
| Viva | 05 |
| Total | 30 |

Overall Examination & Marks Distribution Pattern

Semester V

| Course | 501 | | | 502 | | | Grand Total |
|------------|----------|----------|-------|----------|----------|-------|-------------|
| | Internal | External | Total | Internal | External | Total | |
| Theory | 40 | 60 | 100 | 40 | 60 | 100 | 200 |
| Practicals | 20 | 30 | 50 | 20 | 30 | 50 | 100 |

| Course | 503 | | | 504 | | | Grand Total |
|------------|----------|----------|-------|----------|----------|-------|-------------|
| | Internal | External | Total | Internal | External | Total | |
| Theory | 40 | 60 | 100 | 40 | 60 | 100 | 200 |
| Practicals | 20 | 30 | 50 | 20 | 30 | 50 | 100 |

Course Code: RUSBCH601

Course Title: Human Physiology

Academic year 2024-25

COURSE OUTCOMES:

| COURSE OUTCOME | DESCRIPTION A student completing this course will be able to: |
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| CO 1 | Explain the organization and processes of the muscular system and describe its location, function & physiology of muscle contraction |
| CO 2 | Identify the major functions, composition, and physiology of bone |
| CO 3 | Outline the functions of physiological systems such as cardiac and reproductive and its related disorders. |
| CO 4 | Recall the structure of the organs of the reproductive system in males and females. |
| CO 5 | Name the cellular and molecular mechanisms in neurons. To comprehend established information about neurophysiology |
| CO 6 | Summarize the organs of male and female reproductive system including structure its function & development and maturation in emergence of secondary characteristics |
| CO 7 | Apply knowledge of research culture at under-graduate level, to know the concept of research its objectives, tools and importance and techniques of documentation. |
| CO 8 | Make use of theoretical concepts of human physiology and develop experimental acumen. |

DETAILED SYLLABUS

| Course Code/ Unit | Unit | Course/ Unit Title Human Physiology RUSBCH601 | Credits/ Lectures 2.5 Credits |
|-------------------|---|---|-------------------------------------|
| I | 1 | Musculoskeletal system | 15L |
| | 1.1 | Bone physiology | 2L |
| | 1.1.1 | Function and Composition of bone | 1L |
| | 1.1.2 | Structural considerations-structure of bone; cells of bone | |
| | 1.1.3 | Physiological considerations- Bone growth, Bone formation, bone resorption; Bone remodelling | 3L |
| | 1.1.4 | Metabolic Bone diseases- Rickets, Osteomalacia; Osteoporosis | 2L |
| | 1.2 | Muscle Physiology | 2L |
| | 1.2.1 | Types of muscle cells- Skeletal, Cardiac; Smooth muscle (Structure; Comparison) | 3L |
| | 1.2.2 | Structure of skeletal muscle, Muscle proteins- Structural proteins (Actin; Myosin) & Cross-linking proteins (Tropomyosin; Troponin) | |
| | 1.2.3 | Molecular theory of muscle contraction | 2L |
| II | 2 | Cardiac Physiology and related disorders | 15L |
| | 2.1.1 | Structure of the heart | 3L |
| | 2.1.2 | Layers of the heart wall | |
| | 2.1.3 | Chambers and valves of the heart | |
| | 2.2 | Physiology of the cardiac muscle | 2L |
| | 2.3 | Conducting system of heart, comparative rates of conduction system of heart | 3L |
| | 2.4 | Heart sound, heart rate and factors influencing heart rate | 2L |
| | 2.5 | Cardiac cycle and effect of heart rate on cardiac cycle | 2L |
| | 2.6 | Cardiac output | 1L |
| | 2.7 | Hypertension, congestive heart disease, myocardial infarction, cardiac arrhythmias | 2L |
| III | 3 | Neurophysiology | 15L |
| | 3.1.1 | Nervous system - Overview, Classification | 3L |
| | 3.1.2 | Neuron – Structure, classification based on structure and function | |
| | 3.1.3 | Glial cells, formation of myelin sheath | 2L |
| | 3.1.4 | Concept of myelinated and unmyelinated neuron | |
| | 3.2.1 | Resting membrane potential of a neuron | 2L |
| | 3.2.2 | Processes – Depolarization, repolarization, hyperpolarization | |
| | 3.3 | Generation of nerve impulse | 2L |
| | 3.4 | Saltatory conduction of impulse, All-or-none principle | 1L |
| | 3.5.1 | Neuromuscular junction | 2L |
| 3.5.2 | Action of Acetylcholine at chemical synapse | | |

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| | 3.5.3 | Removal of acetylcholine after its action and regeneration | |
| | 3.6 | Excitatory and inhibitory neurotransmitter pair in brain and spinal cord | 2L |
| | 3.7 | Catecholamines as neurotransmitter | 1L |
| | 4 | Reproductive system | 15L |
| IV | 4.1 | Male reproductive system: scrotum, testes, reproductive system ducts of in males, accessory sex glands | 3L |
| | 4.2 | Female reproductive system: Ovaries, uterine tubes, uterus, vagina, vulva, perineum, mammary glands | 3L |
| | 4.3 | The female reproductive cycle: Hormonal regulation of the female reproductive cycle, phases of the female reproductive cycle | 3L |
| | 4.4 | Birth control measures; abortion: Surgical sterilization, hormonal methods, abortion | 3L |
| | 4.5 | Development of the reproductive systems Aging; reproductive systems | 3L |
| | | Practicals – RUSBCHP601: PROJECT WORK / Certificate Courses Guideline to Carry Out Project work 1. The main purpose of introduction of Project Work at TYBSc is to inculcate research culture at under-graduation level. It will also make the students familiar with Research Methodology i.e. reference work, experimental work, analysis of experimental data, interpretation of results obtained, writing of project work and compilation of bibliography in proper order. 2. Each student individually or in a group shall complete a small research project during their academic year of TYBSc. However, the initial reference work for the project can be started after the conclusion of SYBSc Semester IV examination and summer vacation to TYBSc. 3. Nature of Research Project:- Experimental-based involving laboratory analytical work will be considered as the Research Project. 4. Duration of Project work:- Using the infrastructure available in the Biochemistry Department, Ramnarain Ruia Autonomous College, the duration to complete the project work will be from the commencement of the project work till the mid of January of TYBSc (Sem V) academic year. 5. Schedule for Submission of project Work:- Experimental work must be completed and the report on the same (2 Copies) will have to be submitted by the end of January of TYBSc (Sem V) academic year. | 1.5 Credits |

| | <p>5. The project should be divided into the following parts:-</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Certification of completion of Project Work Acknowledgement Introduction Review of Related Literature Aims and Objectives Plan of work Material and Methods Results Discussion Bibliography <p>7. The project will be assessed</p> <p>GUIDELINE FOR THE ASSESMENT OF PROJECT WORK</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> The practical 601 of Sem VI (Course Code No. RUSBCHP601) shall be exclusively devoted for the project. Each student will complete the project (2 copies) and get both the copies certified by the guiding teacher and the Head of Dept. (HOD) by January of TYBSc (Sem V) academic year. One copy of the certified project will be submitted to the Department; while the other copy will be retained by the students for his/ her personal record. The candidate is required to present the Research Project to the examiner followed by Viva- Voce examination based on the project work by the examiner. The following Marking Scheme shall be considered while assessing the project work <table border="1" data-bbox="459 1384 1190 1688"> <thead> <tr> <th colspan="2">Particular</th> <th>Marks</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>a)</td> <td>Project Work (Contents Submitted in the bound form)</td> <td>30</td> </tr> <tr> <td>b)</td> <td>Presentation of Project Work to examiner</td> <td>10</td> </tr> <tr> <td>c)</td> <td>Viva- voce Exam based on Project Work</td> <td>10</td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2">TOTAL</td> <td>50</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p style="text-align: center;">OR</p> <p>Certificate Courses – Students shall complete certificate courses available on MOOC / SWAYAM / NPTEL platforms / short-term certificate courses.</p> <p>Contact hours – 30 to 45 hours</p> | Particular | | Marks | a) | Project Work (Contents Submitted in the bound form) | 30 | b) | Presentation of Project Work to examiner | 10 | c) | Viva- voce Exam based on Project Work | 10 | TOTAL | | 50 | |
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| Particular | | Marks | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| a) | Project Work (Contents Submitted in the bound form) | 30 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| b) | Presentation of Project Work to examiner | 10 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| c) | Viva- voce Exam based on Project Work | 10 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | | 50 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

| | <p>Student shall produce successful completion certificates made available at the end of the above mentioned courses.</p> <p>A powerpoint presentation on the summary of the courses studied should be made and presented which will be assessed as follows –</p> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th colspan="2">Particular</th> <th>Marks</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>a)</td> <td>Successful completion of courses (30 to 45 contact hours)</td> <td>30</td> </tr> <tr> <td>b)</td> <td>Presentation to external examiner</td> <td>10</td> </tr> <tr> <td>c)</td> <td>Viva- voce</td> <td>10</td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2">TOTAL</td> <td>50</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> | Particular | | Marks | a) | Successful completion of courses (30 to 45 contact hours) | 30 | b) | Presentation to external examiner | 10 | c) | Viva- voce | 10 | TOTAL | | 50 | |
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| Particular | | Marks | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| a) | Successful completion of courses (30 to 45 contact hours) | 30 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| b) | Presentation to external examiner | 10 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| c) | Viva- voce | 10 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | | 50 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

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Course Code: RUSBCH602

Course Title: Food Biochemistry & Environmental Science

Academic year 2024-25

COURSE OUTCOMES:

| COURSE OUTCOME | DESCRIPTION A student completing this course will be able to: |
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| CO 1 | Summarize physical & chemical reactions in food, the role of enzymes in food processing and how they aid in carrying out changes in food |
| CO 2 | Outline the chemistry and applications of enzymes in food industries and flavour. |
| CO 3 | Enlist the changes in reactions in food and how enzymes could be of great importance in food processing |
| CO 4 | Recall the properties of different food components and to understand the principle underlying the biochemical techniques used in food analysis. |
| CO 5 | Explain the interdisciplinary nature of environmental studies and create awareness for the same. |
| CO 6 | Demonstrate various methodologies that are adapted for effective monitoring of environmental parameters. |
| CO 7 | Elaborate on the concept of water and waste water treatment techniques and the aspects involved in solid waste minimization and complete environmentally safe method of their disposal. |
| CO 8 | Make use of theoretical concepts of Food Biochemistry & Environmental Science and develop experimental acumen. |

DETAILED SYLLABUS

| Course Code/ Unit | Unit | Course/ Unit Title Food Biochemistry & Environmental Science RUSBCH602 | Credits/ Lectures 2.5 Credits |
|----------------------|----------|--|---|
| I | 1 | Physicochemical Principles of food | 15L |
| | 1.1 | Introduction & Importance | 2L |
| | 1.1.1 | Physical & chemical characteristics of food | 4L |
| | 1.2 | Factors affecting physicochemical properties | |
| | 1.2.1 | Enzymatic reactions- softening, Oxidation (Ascorbic acid & Phenolic oxidation) Glycolytic reaction, Hydrolytic reactions, pigmentation (Cholorophylase) browning, Maillard reaction & Caramelization reaction | 4L |
| | 1.2.2 | Chemical reactions- 1. Lipid oxidation, non-enzymatic browning 2. Colour changes - Chlorophylls - Anthocyanins - Carotenoids (lipid soluble compounds) 3. Flavour changes 4. Phenophytinisation -photo- oxidation. – Oxidation – 5. Enzyme-induced oxidative breakdown of unsaturated fatty acids | |
| | 1.3 | Physicochemical changes in following food Changes in fruit ripening Comparison between Raw vs Ripe Fruit | 1L |
| | 1.3.1 | Changes in meat- Post Mortem Changes in Meat (Pre-rigor stage, Rigor Mortis, Post Rigor Stage Lipid oxidation | 3L |
| | 1.3.2 | Non enzymatic hydrolysis by Haeme protein Autolytic enzyme spoilage | 1L |
| II | 2 | Enzymes in Food Processing | 15L |
| | 2.1 | Enzymes in carbohydrates, proteins and lipid modifications | 3L |
| | 2.1.1 | Enzymes for starch modification- maltodextrins and corn syrup solids: liquefaction, saccharification, dextrinization, isomerization for production of high-fructose-corn-syrup, fructose and fructo-oligosaccharides | |
| | 2.1.2 | Enzymes for protein modification - hydrolysates and bioactive peptides | 3L |
| | 2.1.3 | Enzymes for Lipid modification- Lipase catalyzed synthesis of structured triglycerides, fats, and margarine | 3L |
| | 2.2 | Enzymes as processing aids | 3L |
| | 2.2.1 | Role of enzymes in Dairy processing - cheese making and whey processing | |
| | 2.2.2 | Role of enzymes in meat processing- tenderization | |

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| | 2.2.3 | and flavour development Role of enzymes in fish processing- De-skinning, collagen extraction | |
| | 2.2.4 | Role of enzymes in Egg processing- catalase, glucose oxidase, hydrolase | |
| | 2.3 | Role of enzymes in the production of flavours | 3L |
| | 2.3.1 | Enzyme-aided extraction of plant materials for production of flavours | |
| | 2.3.2 | Production of flavour enhancers such as nucleotides, MSG; flavours from hydrolyzed vegetable/animal protein | |
| | 3 | Fundamentals of Environmental Chemistry | 15L |
| III | 3.1 | Air and Atmosphere | 3L |
| | 3.1.1 | Particles, ions and radicals in the atmosphere | |
| | 3.1.2 | Chemical processes for formation of inorganic and organic particulate matter | |
| | 3.1.3 | Thermochemical and photochemical reactions in the atmosphere | 2L |
| | 3.1.4 | Oxygen and ozone chemistry – Formation of ozone layer, sources and effects of ozone depletion on environment | |
| | 3.1.5 | Chemistry of air pollutants | 2L |
| | 3.1.6 | Photochemical smog, Carcinogens in the air | |
| | 3.1.7 | Effects of air pollution on health | |
| | 3.2 | Water and aquatic system | 2L |
| | 3.2.1 | Organic pollutants [pesticides, insecticides, detergents, oil spills, toxic organic chemicals] | |
| | 3.2.2 | Inorganic pollutants [heavy metals – Hg, Pb, As, Cd] | |
| | 3.2.3 | Thermal pollution of water | 3L |
| | 3.2.4 | Concept of DO, BOD, COD, Acidity, Alkalinity, Hardness | |
| | 3.2.5 | Effects of water pollution on health | |
| IV | 3.3 | Soil Soil properties, Types of soil pollution – acidification, agrochemical pollution, salinization, and contamination by metalliferous wastes | 3L |
| | 4 | Environmental pollution management and environmental monitoring | 15L |
| | 4.1 | Air Pollution Management | 5L |
| | 4.1.1 | Control methods for particulates - Gravitational Settling Chambers, Centrifugal collectors, Wet collectors, Fabric Filters, Electro Static Precipitators | |
| | 4.1.2 | Control methods for gaseous pollutants - Adsorption, Absorption, Condensation, Combustion | |
| | 4.2 | Water analysis & Waste water management | 5L |
| | 4.2.1 | Physico – chemical and Bacteriological sampling and analysis of water quality | |
| 4.2.2 | Primary treatment methods – screening, grit removal, primary sedimentation | | |

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| | 4.2.3 | Secondary treatment methods - Activated sludge process, Trickling filters, Rotating biological contactors, Oxidation ponds and Lagoons | |
| | 4.2.4 | Tertiary treatment methods - Chlorination, Ion Exchange | |
| | 4.3 | Solid Waste Management Sanitary Landfill, Recycling, Composting, Incineration, Energy recovery options from organic wastes | 5L |
| | | Practicals – RUSBCHP602 | 1.5 Credits |
| | 1 | Determination of salinity / chlorides in water by Silver nitrate method | |
| | 2 | Determination of the Chemical Oxygen Demand of water/ Effluent by the Potassium Dichromate method | |
| | 3 | Determination of potability of water by conducting a coliform count | |
| | 4 | Determination of the Alkalinity of water/ Effluent | |
| | 5 | Determination of the Acidity of water/ Effluent | |
| | 6 | Estimation of lead by the EDTA method | |
| | 7 | Estimation of Organic content of soil by Diphenylamine method | |
| | 8 | Estimation of CaCO ₃ of soil by Bromothymol Blue Method | |

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Course Code: RUSBCH603
Course Title: Clinical Biochemistry
Academic year 2024-25

COURSE OUTCOMES:

| COURSE OUTCOME | DESCRIPTION A student completing this course will be able to: |
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| CO 1 | Outline the basics of circulatory system including Iron Metabolism, haematopoiesis, and Erythropoiesis |
| CO 2 | Compare and state differences in hemochromatosis and anaemia from the perspective of iron homeostasis |
| CO 3 | Define the composition of normal hemoglobin at various stages of development |
| CO 4 | Explain the structural difference between different types of haemoglobin, compare O ₂ binding properties of haemoglobin, including haeme- haeme interactions |
| CO 5 | Summarize Fundamentals, composition, and significance of Body fluids |
| CO 6 | Elaborate on the chemical nature of hormones, the relationship between structure and function of hormones, quantitative aspects of hormonal action in relation to endocrine disorder, the role of hormones as a regulatory factor of a living system, relation with some diseases |
| CO 7 | Discuss the clinical significance of the organ function tests |
| CO 8 | Make use of theoretical concepts of Clinical Biochemistry and develop experimental acumen. |

DETAILED SYLLABUS

| Course Code/ Unit | Unit | Course/ Unit Title Clinical Biochemistry RUSBCH603 | Credits/ Lectures 2.5 Credits |
|----------------------|----------|---|-------------------------------------|
| I | 1 | Biochemistry of Haeme | 15L |
| | 1.1.1 | Iron metabolism- Absorption, Transport, distribution, Storage & excretion | 2L |
| | 1.1.2 | Role of apoferritin & Transferin | 2L |
| | 1.1.3 | Haemochromatosis | |
| | 1.2 | Haematopoiesis | 3L |
| | 1.2.1 | Erythropoiesis - Stages of development of erythrocytes, Precursors of RBCs | |
| | 1.2.2 | Factors influencing erythropoiesis | |
| | 1.3 | Anemias: Definition and types (Hemolytic, hemorrhagic, megaloblast, pernicious, iron deficiency and aplastic anemia), polycythemia | 3L |
| | 1.4.1 | Chemistry of Haemoglobin (Hb)- Haeme & globin, Varieties of haemoglobin, Hemoglobin derivatives with gases, Haeme-haeme interactions | 3L |
| | 1.4.2 | Overview of Biosynthesis of Haemoglobin | 2L |
| II | 2 | Body Fluids | 15L |
| | 2.1 | Intracellular, extracellular and interstitial fluid. Homeostasis, control system and their components | 3L |
| | 2.2 | Bile - Formation, composition, function and disorder (jaundice, bile duct stones) | 3L |
| | 2.3 | Plasma – Composition, plasma proteins, function , plasma cell disorder | 3L |
| | 2.4 | CSF – Composition, function, CSF analysis, CSF leak | 3L |
| | 2.5 | Composition and function of –Synovial fluid, Pericardial fluid, Tears, Sweat | 3L |
| III | 3 | Endocrinology | 15L |
| | 3.1 | Definition of Hormones, hormone receptor, endocrine & exocrine glands | 2L |
| | 3.2 | Classification of hormones on the basis of: i) Distance of target tissue- autocrine, paracrine, endocrine ii) Chemistry - One example for each sub class. | 2L |
| | 3.3 | Hierarchal organization of the mammalian endocrine system | 1L |
| | 3.4.1 | Chemistry, synthesis, secretion & physiological role of thyroxine and insulin (Synthesis from preproinsulin) | 2L |
| | 3.4.2 | Hypothyroidism (cretinism and myxedema), Hyperthyroidism (goiter – simple & toxic), Diabetes mellitus | 2L |
| | 3.5 | Physiological role of glucocorticoids, oxytocin & vasopressin, FSH, LH, Estrogen, Progesterone (Reproductive cycle) | 3L |

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| | 3.6 | Mode of action of steroid hormones and epinephrine (amplification cascade with G proteins, cAMP, adenylate cyclase, kinases) | 3L |
| IV | 4 | Organ Function Tests, Biochemical Assessments and Changes in Endocrine Disorders | 15L |
| | 4.1 | Organ Function Tests | 4L |
| | 4.1.1 | Liver Function test – Bilirubin (direct and indirect), SGPT, SGOT, ALP, Prothrombin time | |
| | 4.1.2 | Renal Function test - Urea clearance test, Creatinine clearance test, Test of renal ability to excrete acid, Intravenous pyelography, Radioactive renogram | 4L |
| | 4.1.3 | Gastric Function test – Examination of resting contents | 4L |
| | 4.1.4 | Pancreatic function test – Serum amylase activity, GTT | |
| | 4.1.5 | Cardiac Profile – Cardiac biomarkers to diagnose heart attack, Serum cholesterol and triglycerides test | 3L |
| | | Practicals – RUSBCHP603 | 1.5 Credits |
| | 1 | Estimation of RBC count by Haemocytometer | |
| | 2 | Estimation of iron by Wong's method | |
| | 3 | Bile Analysis: Detection of Bilirubin & Bile salts | |
| | 4 | Clinical analysis of CSF – glucose, proteins, chlorides | |
| | 5 | Liver Function Tests – a) Estimation of serum ALT and AST b) Estimation of total and direct bilirubin | |
| | 6 | Renal Function tests – a) Creatinine clearance test b) Urea clearance test | |
| | 7 | Estimation of serum amylase activity | |

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Course Code: RUSBCH604

Course Title: Nutritional Biochemistry

Academic year 2024-25

COURSE OUTCOMES:

| COURSE OUTCOME | DESCRIPTION A student completing this course will be able to: |
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| CO 1 | Outline the importance of balanced diet and other parameters in maintaining it. |
| CO 2 | Explain the functions of macronutrients & micronutrients |
| CO 3 | Enlist the biochemical, physiological, and clinical impacts of inadequate intake of specific nutrients. |
| CO 4 | Develop a keen insight into interrelationship between genes and nutrients. |
| CO 5 | Justify the importance of nutrition in health and study the main features of carbohydrates, proteins, lipids, and minerals. |
| CO 6 | Summarize the newer concepts of dietary management of various disorders and disease. |
| CO 7 | Select biochemical techniques relevant in nutritional biochemical research |
| CO 8 | Make use of theoretical concepts of Nutritional Biochemistry and develop experimental acumen. |

DETAILED SYLLABUS

| Course Code/ Unit | Unit | Course/ Unit Title Nutritional Biochemistry RUSBCH604 | Credits/ Lectures 2.5 Credits |
|-------------------|-----------|---|-------------------------------------|
| I | 1 | Introduction to Nutrition | 15L |
| | 1.1.1 | Introduction to Human nutrition & energy supply | 2L |
| | 1.1.2 | Measurement of energy content of food- Calorific value of different biomolecules & mixed diet, Determination of calorific value using bomb Calorimeter (Principle & Working) | |
| | 1.2 | Respiratory quotient of food | 2L |
| | 1.3 | Measurement of energy expenditure Basal metabolic rate- Definition, Measurement, factors affecting BMR & its significance | |
| | 1.4 | Specific dynamic action of food- Definition, Mechanism & its significance | 1L |
| | 1.5 | Sources, Daily requirement & Nutritional importance of biomolecules | 4L |
| | 1.5.1 | Carbohydrates- Concept of Glycemic Index of food (Graph), Importance of fiber (Complex carbohydrate) in nutrition | |
| | 1.5.2 | Lipids-Role of essential fatty acids | |
| | 1.5.3 | Proteins- Essential amino acids, Nitrogen Balance (Positive, Negative Nitrogen balance & factors affecting) | |
| | 1.6 | Assessment of nutritive value of protein | 3L |
| | 1.6.1 | Protein efficiency ratio | |
| | 1.6.2 | Biological value of protein | |
| | 1.6.3 | Net protein utilization | |
| | 1.6.4 | Chemical score | |
| | 1.6.5 | Mutual supplementation of protein | |
| | 1.7 | Recommended Dietary allowances (RDA)-Definition, Factors affecting RDA, RDA for adult | 1L |
| | 1.8 | Balance diet – Concept & significance, Designing diet for different subjects (infants, toddlers, adolescents, adults, geriatric, diseased state) | 2L |
| | 1.9 | Numericals based on above concepts | |
| II | 2 | Macroelements | 15L |
| | 2.1 | Biochemistry of macroelements | 3L |
| | 2.2 | Sources, Recommended daily allowances, Absorption, transport, excretion, Biochemical significance & Disorders related to: | 3L |
| | 2.2.1 | Calcium | 3L |
| | 2.2.2 | Phosphorous | |
| | 2.2.3 | Magnesium | 3L |
| | 2.2.4 | Sodium | |
| 2.2.5 | Potassium | 3L | |

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| | 2.2.6 | Chlorine | |
| | 2.2.7 | Sulphur | |
| III | 3 | Microelements | 15L |
| | 3.1 | Biochemistry of microelements | 2L |
| | 3.2 | Sources, Recommended daily allowances, Biochemical significance & Disorders related to: | 3L |
| | 3.2.1 | Copper | 3L |
| | 3.2.2 | Iodine | |
| | 3.2.3 | Manganese | 3L |
| | 3.2.4 | Zinc | |
| | 3.2.5 | Molybdenum | 3L |
| | 3.2.6 | Cobalt | |
| | 3.2.7 | Fluorine | |
| | 3.2.8 | Selenium | 1L |
| IV | 4 | Nutrigenomics, Nutritional disorders and Antinutritional Factors | 15L |
| | 4.1 | Nutrient-Gene Interaction | 2L |
| | 4.2 | Drug-Nutrient Interaction | |
| | 4.3 | Obesity, Brown and White Adipose Tissue, Specific dynamic action factors affecting thermic effect of food. | 2L |
| | 4.4 | Role of Leptin, Ghrenin, Adiponectin in food intake. | 2L |
| | 4.5 | Pathophysiology of Nutritional disorders | 2L |
| | 4.5.1 | Nutritional disorders of carbohydrate- Non-Insulin dependent diabetes mellitus, Lactose intolerance, Celiac disease | |
| | 4.5.2 | Nutritional disorders of proteins- Protein energy Malnutrition (Kwashiorker, Marasmus & Marasmic kwashiorkor) | 2L |
| | 4.5.3 | Nutritional disorders related to lipids – Essential fatty acid deficiency, cholesterol (Good vs Bad) | 2L |
| | 4.5.4 | Eating disorders – Bulimia nervosa, Anorexia nervosa | 2L |
| | 4.6 | Antinutritional factors – Phytin, oxalates, tannins, trypsin inhibitors, soluble and non-soluble NSPs | 1L |
| | | Practicals – RUSBCHP604 | 1.5 Credits |
| | 1 | Anthropometric measurements | |
| | 2 | Isolation of casein from milk | |
| | 3 | Extraction of albumins and globulins from egg white | |
| | 4 | Isolation of lipids from egg yolk and separation by TLC. | |
| | 5 | Estimation of Calcium by EDTA method | |
| | 6 | Estimation of phosphorus by Fiske Subarrow method | |
| | 7 | Estimation of copper by the Isoamyl alcohol method | |
| | 8 | Survey on nutritional disorders and its statistical analysis | |

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Modality of Assessment (SEMESTER VI)

Theory Examination Pattern:

A) Internal Assessment- 40%- 40 Marks

| Sr No | Evaluation type | Marks |
|-------|---|-----------|
| 1 | Class test | 20 |
| 2 | Class test/ Project/ Assignment/ Presentation | 20 |
| | TOTAL | 40 |

B) External Examination- 60%- 60 Marks Semester End Theory Examination:

1. Duration - These examinations shall be of **02 HOURS** duration.
2. Theory question paper pattern:

Paper Pattern:

| Question | Options | Marks | Questions Based on |
|----------|----------------|-----------|--------------------|
| Q1. | Any 3 out of 5 | 15 | UNIT I |
| Q2. | Any 3 out of 5 | 15 | UNIT II |
| Q3. | Any 3 out of 5 | 15 | UNIT III |
| Q4. | Any 3 out of 5 | 15 | UNIT IV |
| | TOTAL | 60 | |

Practical Examination Pattern:

Practical I

| Particular | | Marks | OR | Particular | | Marks |
|--------------|---|-----------|-----------|--------------|---|-----------|
| a) | Project Work (Contents Submitted in the bound form) | 30 | | a) | Successful completion of courses (30 to 45 contact hours) | 30 |
| b) | Presentation to external examiner | 10 | | b) | Presentation to external examiner | 10 |
| c) | Viva- voce | 10 | | c) | Viva- voce | 10 |
| TOTAL | | 50 | | TOTAL | | 50 |

A) Internal Examination: 40%- 40 Marks

| Particulars | Practical II, III & IV |
|--------------------|------------------------|
| Journal | 05 |
| Experimental tasks | 15 |
| Total | 20 |

B) External Examination: 60%- 60 Marks**Semester End Practical Examination:**

| Particulars | Practical II, III & IV |
|-----------------|------------------------|
| Laboratory work | 25 |
| Viva | 5 |
| Total | 30 |

Overall Examination & Marks Distribution Pattern**Semester VI**

| Course | 601 | | | 602 | | | Grand Total |
|------------|----------|----------|-------|----------|----------|-------|-------------|
| | Internal | External | Total | Internal | External | Total | |
| Theory | 40 | 60 | 100 | 40 | 60 | 100 | 200 |
| Practicals | 20 | 30 | 50 | 20 | 30 | 50 | 100 |

| Course | 603 | | | 604 | | | Grand Total |
|------------|----------|----------|-------|----------|----------|-------|-------------|
| | Internal | External | Total | Internal | External | Total | |
| Theory | 40 | 60 | 100 | 40 | 60 | 100 | 200 |
| Practicals | 20 | 30 | 50 | 20 | 30 | 50 | 100 |
